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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Matthew Vacek et al.	Examiner:	Mark Graham
Serial No.:	09/883790	Group Art Unit:	3711
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Title	COMPOSITE SOFTBALL BAT		

PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the final Office Action mailed May 1, 2003, said period of response being extended from August 1, 2003 to October 1, 2003.

Please charge the fee of \$205.00 and any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully Submitted

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